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1. A special laboratory has been established by the Russians in
Karlshorst. Prof. Dr. Schleicher, metallurgist, who is conduct-
ing research on the development of a light metal alloy for
the atomic stabilization apparatus of rockets.

2. Schleicher, who refused to go to Russia in late 1946, was formerly
Dean of the Technische Hochschule in Charlottenburg and an early
member of the NSDAP. Although he feels that he is under Soviet
surveillance, he continues to live on Prinz-Wilhelm-Leopold-
strasse, 114, in the American Sector of Berlin.

3. [redacted] a combined German and Russian staff
is at work in a Soviet Institute for nuclear physics in Potsdam
but is not, however, engaged in atomic weapon research. One of its
leading personalities is a Dr. Pflöcker, who has given 250,000 marks
to the Russians to establish the institute.

4. [redacted] Pflöcker may be Dr. M. Pflöcker, chemical and
editor of the Chemisches Zentralblatt living at Kastanienallee 35
in Potsdam.

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